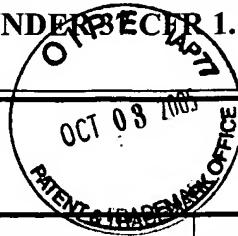


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
 16437

In Re Application Of: **Lilan Bao et al.**



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/621,291	July 17, 2003	Mark S. Graham	23389	3711	2480

Invention: **BAMBOO BAT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 28, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: June 28, 2005 until: September 28, 2005

Date

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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